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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
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Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application is an Amendment in response to the Office Action of September 5, 2008.

Applicant respectfully petitions for **one-month extension of time** to respond to the Office Action of September 5, 2008, for which a three-month response period expired on December 5, 2008. The extended period for response expires on January 5, 2009. The **\$130.00** extension of time fee **is being paid by credit card**.

The Commissioner is also authorized to charge payment of any additional fees or to credit any overpayment, to the Deposit Account of Kenyon & Kenyon LLP, Deposit Account No. **11-0600**.

Respectfully submitted,

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